## **LESSON 5: ASK ANYTHING**

**Look Back**: What are you thankful for? What is causing you stress?

- How many days did you read the Bible?
- How many days did you walk in the Spirit?

## Look Up: Discuss Transferable Concept How to Walk in the Spirit

- What keeps you from being in the Spirit?
- How do you know if you are being led by the Spirit?
- How do you get back in the Spirit?

Praying to a Father who loves you. Read John 14:12-15, 15:

- What does God promise to do? v.13-14
- What are the conditions for answered prayer? How is praying and what you do connected? v. 12, 15, 1 John 3:18-23
- Why is God's answer sometimes "No" or "Wait"?
  Read Luke 11:9-13, James 4:3

• What does your praying (or not praying) reveal about your abiding (remaining) in a close relationship with God?

- What should we to pray about? Read Matthew 6:9-13.
  - o God's priorities v. 9-10
  - o Our needs v.11
  - Confessing past sin and overcoming future sin; v.12-13
- What would you do if you knew God would say Yes and you could not fail?

## **Look Forward** – Set goals & pray for goals

- What are you doing well? What do you need to change?
  - Who needs to hear this? Who will you teach this?
- Set Goal: Pray for goals. What are you asking God to do?
- Prayer Focus: God's Provision Matthew 6:11
  - Father, give us and those around us what we need.